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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: B. CHILDRESS et al.

Group Art Unit 1761

Application No: 08/354,177

Examiner: Lien Tran

Filed: August 14, 2000

Attorney Docket No.: 41933-01

For:

PATCH BAG COMPRISING HOMOGENEOUS ETHYLENE/ALPHA-OLEFIN

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of October 23, 2000. The items checked below are appropriate:

- Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. Authorization is hereby given to charge the fee of \$110.00 for the Extension to Deposit Account No. 07-1765.
- Applicants enclose an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 consisting of 12 pages.
- Applicants enclose a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 of Blaine Childress, consisting of three pages.
- Applicants enclose a Notification of Address Change.
- Authorization is hereby given to charge the \$36.00 fee for the two additional dependent claims added by this amendment to Deposit Account No. 07-1765.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account 07-1765.



Cryovac, Inc. February 22, 2001 Respectfully Submitted,

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